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JACOB LEWIS FATHER OF FRED LEWIS

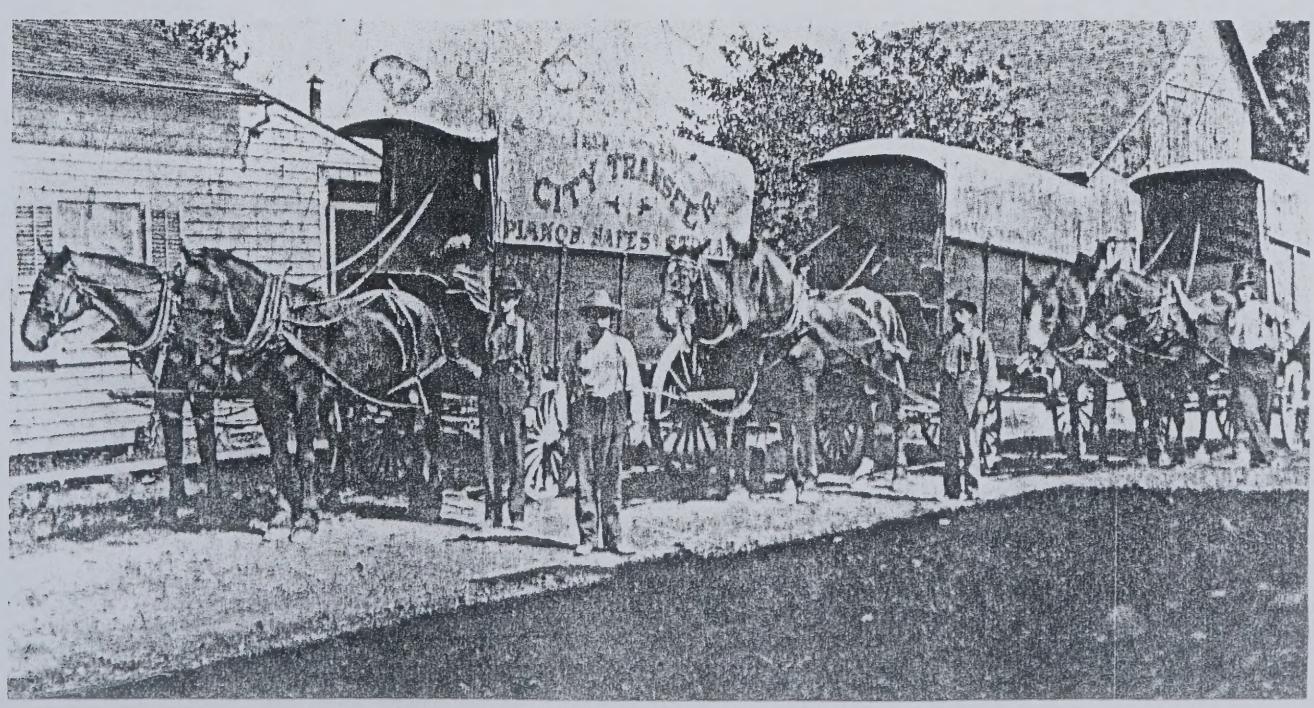
In the eighteenth century three brothers came to America from Wales. One of these was William Lewis who married Mary Ann Brubaker in Nov. of 1843. She expired Feb. 28, 1845. He later married Mary Ann's sister Sarah Jane Brubaker on May 22, 1845.

Their pleasant union resulted in the birth of seven children, all sons; Jacob, William Henry, Jeremiah, Jonathan, George Washington, John Wesley, and Harvey. All were born on a farm northwest of Shelby, Ohio, in Richland County.

Jacob Lewis was born Feb. 22, 1846. He expired Feb. 5, 1942. While living at home he was the chief helpmate of his father, helping to clear the land for farming for at that early time the land was a wilderness.

In 1867 he married Amanda C. Knouse. They took up housekeeping in and near Shelby, Ohio. She expired Aug. 8, 1893. Born to them were two boys and two girls; Fred, George, Mayme, and Sadie. He later married Jenny Cole. She expired in 1923.

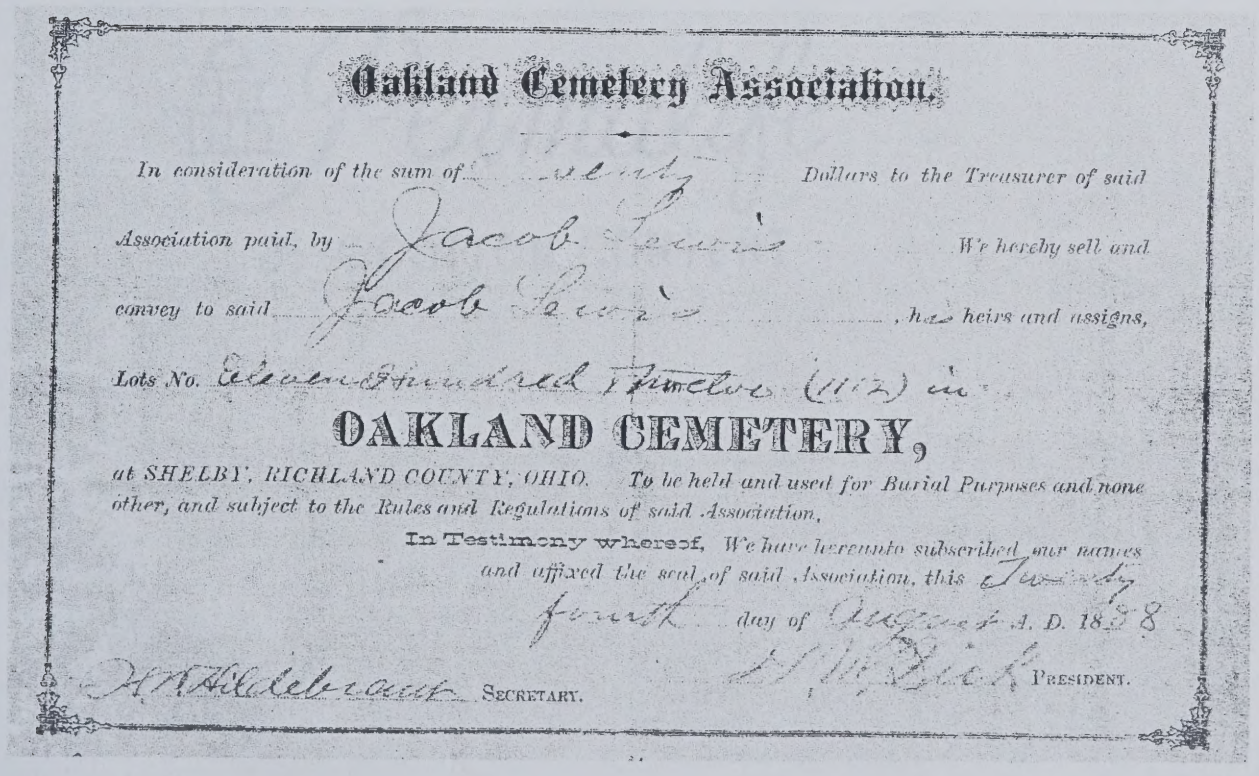
Jacob Lewis was engaged in the Draying business in Shelby at the time of the horse drawn wagons and slower methods. He resided in the house he built at 23 Central Ave., later named Blackfork St.



Jacob Lewis saw this small village grow to a city of 7,000. He was only six years old when Shelby became an incorporated village in 1852.

Mr. Lewis was bedfast since Aug. 1934, under the faithful diligent care of his widowed daughter, Mrs. Mayme Vernon. In Aug. of 1933 he was stricken blind and remained so until his passing Feb. 5, 1942 at 96 years of age.

At the time of his death he left four surviving children: Fred Lewis of Mansfield, Ohio; George Lewis of Cleveland, Ohio; Sadie Parsons of Chardon, Ohio; Mayme Vernon of Shelby, Ohio.



Oakland Cemetery Association.

In consideration of the sum of Twenty Dollars to the Treasurer of said Association paid, by Jacob Lewis We hereby sell and convey to said Jacob Lewis his heirs and assigns, Lots No. Eleven Hundred Twelve (1112) in

OAKLAND CEMETERY,

at SHELBY, RICHLAND COUNTY, OHIO. To be held and used for Burial Purposes and none other, and subject to the Rules and Regulations of said Association.

In Testimony whereof, We have hereunto subscribed our names and affixed the seal of said Association, this Twenty fourth day of August A. D. 1888

H. H. Hildebrant SECRETARY. D. McBride PRESIDENT.

This deed was purchased in 1888 by Jacob Lewis for burial of his wife, Sarah Jane Lewis. Also buried there at present are; Jacob Lewis, Fred Lewis, Mattie Lewis, Kenneth Lewis, and Edwin Lewis. This is in Shelby, Ohio, Richland County.

FRED LEWIS

Fred Lewis, the oldest son of Jacob Lewis, worked with his father in the draying and moving business. They were called to a small village west of Shelby, Ohio, to move some furniture. In the yard next door he noticed a beautiful young girl with long black hair and sharp brown eyes. She was up in a cherry tree picking cherries. They smiled at each other and this struck up a beautiful romance.

The courtship went on all that summer. Fred would rent a horse and buggy to call on his new love. They were married in the fall of that year. Her name was Martha Harman, the youngest child of Jonas Harman and Lidia Sheesly, who were married Dec. 29, 1842. Born to them were ten children.

Charles Harman, born Aug. 6, 1843
Elisa J. Harman, born Dec. 6, 1845
Anna Harman, born April 30, 1848
William Harman, born May 23, 1850
Lucy Harman, born Aug. 14, 1852
Isaac Harman, born May 26, 1854
John Harman, born April 19, 1858
Julia Harman, born June 13, 1860
Mary Harman, born Dec. 19, 1862
Martha Harman, born Nov. 11, 1870

Fred and Martha lived with her mother until their first child was born on June 19, 1891. They then moved to Shelby, Ohio, where the work was more plentiful.

Jake Lewis rented them the little house at 20 Central Ave., and he built a new house at 15 Monroe Ave. in Shelby, Ohio. Jake lived at his new home until he expired at 96 years of age.

Fred and Martha continued to have more children at the little house at 20 Central Ave. When they needed more bedrooms, the house at 28 Central Ave. was built. They moved to Central Ave. (later changed to Blackfork St.)

The flood came in 1913 and the family was moved upstairs as the lower level had 11 inches of water for a period of three days. The following spring they moved the house to a higher location, which was Jenning Court, where it still stands.

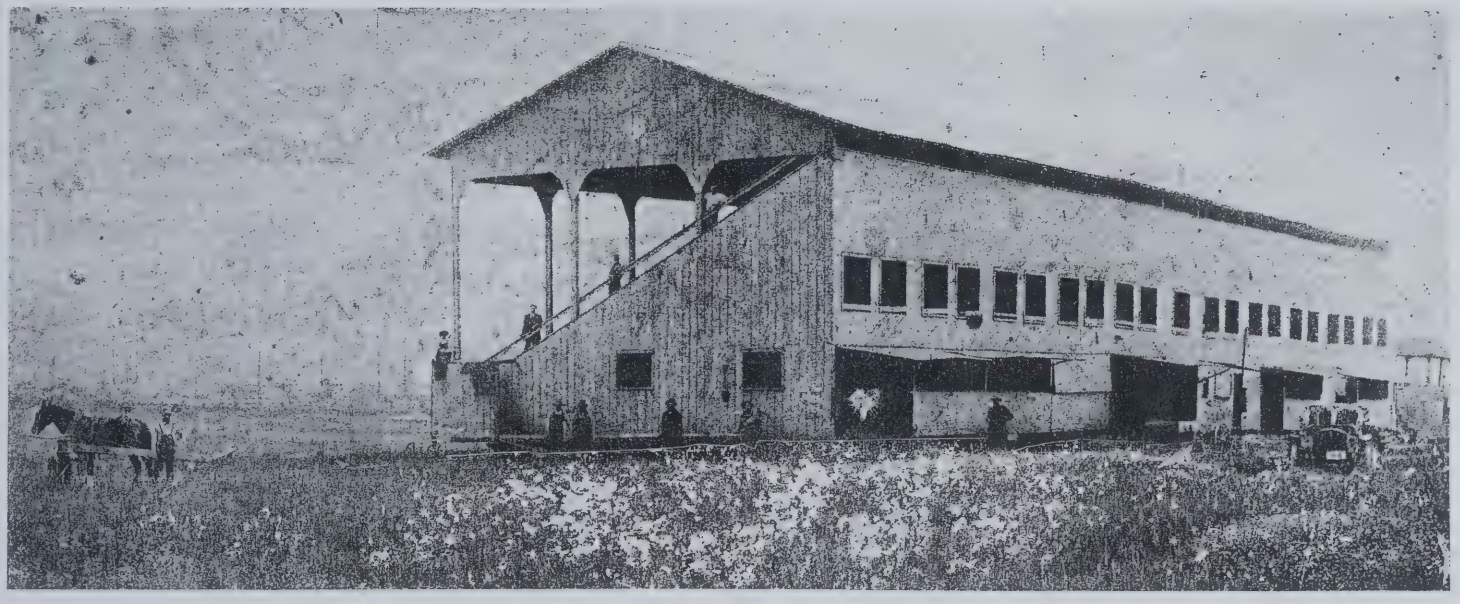
Children of Fred and Martha Lewis

Herman Lewis, born June 19, 1891, expired Jan. 15, 1982
Hattie Lewis, born Sept. 12, 1893, expired March 5, 1945
Lydia M. Lewis, born June 26, 1895, expired Jan. 4, 1969
Floy M. Lewis, born March 26, 1897, expired May 30, 1953
Edwin Lewis, born May 19, 1898, expired Aug. 23, 1898
Donald Lewis, born June 6, 1901, expired Feb. 23, 1958
Mamie K. Lewis, born Dec. 27, 1903
Kenneth Lewis, born Nov. 4, 1905, expired Aug. 1906
Darrell E. Lewis, born July 24, 1909, expired June 26, 1983

The Fred Lewis Family
Back row, left to right: Floy, Harriett, Donald, Herman, and Lydia.
Front row: Fred, Darrell, Martha, and Mamie.

Fred Lewis continued working with his father in the Dray Line Business until around 1895, when he went into the House Moving business. He was known in several counties around for moving houses, barns, machinery, and large tanks. After the 1913 flood, the foundation of the bridge on Main St., in Shelby, had to be rebuilt due to the force of water down the Blackfork Creek. He was hired to move the bridge onto the street while the repair work was completed.

This picture was taken at Bucyrus, Ohio, when Fred was hired to move the grandstand at the Fairgrounds.



Fred was also hired to move many houses and barns back, so the new improved roads could be built. One house was so large they had to cut it into two sections to be moved.

The picture below is the house at 28 Blackfork St. which he moved after the flood to higher ground at 5 Jennings Court.

Martha (Mattie) Harmon, now Mrs. Fred Lewis, was a good mother, wife, and grandmother. She was an excellent seamstress, and made many garments for her children. She also made comforters for them to sleep under during the winter months. Her ability for canning foods for the winter months was one of her joys. She played the piano, and was the pianist in the German Reformed Church in Shelby, Ohio, for many years. When the family moved to Mansfield, Ohio, she was active in the Sewing Circle at the Lutheran Church. She mothered two of her grandsons until they finished their schooling. She was known to quilt many quilts for her friends and neighbors. Mattie had a full life and lived to 92 years of age. On her birth certificate her name was Martha, but sometime in her life she changed it to Mattie.

In 1940 Fred and Mattie Lewis celebrated their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary. Their anniversary was celebrated with a family dinner party at noon and an open house in the afternoon. There were 34 members of the immediate family present for the dinner, which was held at the Colonial Guest House on the Wooster Road. Table appointments and the anniversary cake was carried out in yellow.

The open house for 25 more relatives and friends was held at the family home, 98 Blanche St. Yellow predominated in decorations of the home, and the couple received many gifts and floral pieces in honor of the occasion.

FIFTIETH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY
Darrell, Mamie, Donald, Floy, Lydia, Harriett, Herman, Martha, and Fred.

Fred and Martha Lewis in front of their home at 98 Blanch St., Mansfield, Ohio.

Children of Fred and Martha Lewis

HERMAN CHESTER LEWIS

Herman C. Lewis, the first child of Fred and Mattie Lewis, was born June 19, 1891 in Sulphur Springs, Ohio. They were living with Grandma Harmon, Mattie's mother at this time, but the house was small. They moved to Shelby, Ohio, to 23 Blackfork St. This is where Herman grew up, and he attended Central High School. When he was about ten years old his mother would give him a quarter for bread. He went to the Bakery on Main St. and would get six loaves of bread for the 25¢. It took both arms to carry this load, and he could hardly see over the top. When Herman was seventeen he took a job at the Brunswick Smoke House. This was a combination of a Barber Shop, Pool Room, and Smoke House. Around 1912 his Uncle Ike Harmon got him a job in Philadelphia, Penn., working in a Tool Shop. From there he was transferred to New Castle, Indiana. While there he met a beautiful blue eyed girl, Georgia Smith, and they were married on Dec. 19, 1914. They moved to Dayton, Ohio, where Herman worked for twenty-five years for Delco Products.

Herman and Georgia had seven children: Fred, Robert, Virginia, Howard, Richard, Paul, and Kenneth. Kenneth died while an infant.

In Sept., 1941 they moved to Oak Park, Ill., where Herman worked for the Tropic Aire Co. From there they moved to Spencer, Indiana, to live until he retired.

Herman and Georgia were members of the United Methodist Church. He was also a member of the Masonic Lodge, and the Masonic Award Of Gold was presented to him in a ceremony at the Spencer Masonic Temple.

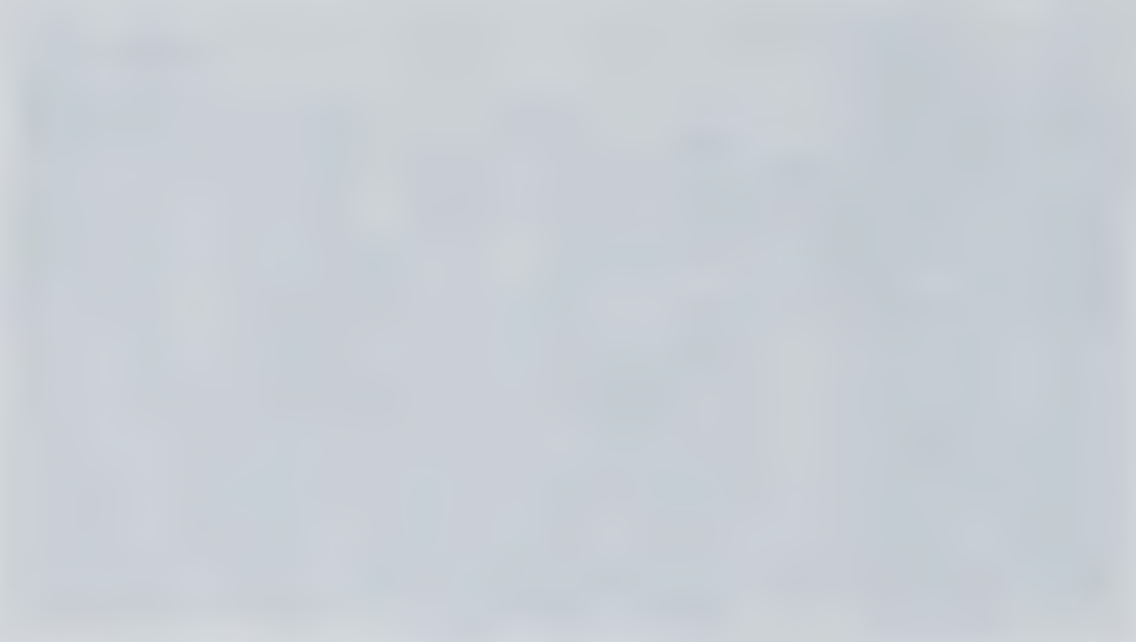
Herman lived to be 90 years old and expired Jan. 15, 1982 at the Gasport Nursing Home near Spencer, Indiana.

THE HERMAN C. LEWIS FAMILY
Back Row, Left to Right: Fred, Bob, Paul, Richard
Front Row, Left to Right: Virginia, Herman, Georgia and Howard

Children of Herman and Georgia Lewis

Frederick H. Lewis was born Sept. 11, 1915 in New Castle, Indiana. He attended Ft. McKinley Elem. School, and graduated from Fairview High School in Dayton, Ohio. Attended the University of Dayton, and then was employed at Delco Products Division from 1933 to 1958. Fred entered the Military Service in 1940, and was mustered out in Europe in 1946. He was Cannon Battery Commander with Patton's Third Army. He entered WWII as a Corporal, and separated as a Major. He was recalled to Korean Service Apr. 1950, and released Nov. 1952. Fred joined the Chamber of Commerce staff Jan. 1958, and was there until June 2, 1972. Then went to Dayton New Car Dealers Assn., as Executive Secretary, and is still in that position.

Fred married Margaret Irene Cosner Jan. 3, 1942 in Gulfport, Miss. Their first housekeeping was at various Army Posts in Tennessee, Kansas, Arizona, and New Jersey. They have lived in the Dayton View area, and Washington Township since.



Margaret was born Aug. 30, 1914 in Dayton, Ohio. She attended E. J. Brown elementary school, and graduated from Steele High School. She then went to Bowling Green State College, and graduated in 1934. Started teaching in the Dayton School System in 1939, after attending Ohio State University, the term 1938-39. Except for the birth of her children, Margaret has been in the Dayton School System each year, as a Pre-School and Kindergarten Specialist. During term 1944-45 she attended the University of Dayton to complete degree work as a Teaching Professional with a lifetime certificate in Ohio.

Children of Frederick and Margaret Lewis

Trisha Lee was born June 10, 1948. She graduated from Fairview High School and Wooster College, majoring in Languages and Education, graduating in 1970. She married Gary Davis, (George Garrett Davis II) in June 1970. They have two children; Benjamin, aged six, and Jillian, aged one yr. Trisha is employed at Ohio College Library Corp. Gary is with Deloitte, Haskings & Sells Accounting firm. They reside at 67 Tibet Rd., Columbus, Ohio 43202. Gary graduated with Trisha at Wooster College. His parents reside in Northville, Michigan, where his father is an executive with Ford Motor Co. Truck Div.

Terrence (Terry) was born Dec. 15, 1951 at Dayton, Ohio. He graduated from Fairview High School, and Ohio University in 1978, with his future wife, Cynthia Tanner of Parkersburg, West Virginia. Terry and Cindy moved to Wilmington, N. Carolina for several years, and are now living in Columbus, Ohio. Cindy is employed with a Commercial Photo Lab. Co., and Terry attends Ohio State University toward his Masters Degree each morning, and works at a Satellite T.V. Receiver Installation Co. each evening.

Frederick Todd was born Aug. 15, 1953 at Dayton, Ohio. Todd graduated from Fairview High School, and Northwood Institute College in 1977 in Michigan. He is employed as General Manager of the Michigan City, Ind. Auto and Truck Parts Co., a division of Midcon Corp. of Indianapolis, Indiana. He married Janet Roemer of Cincinnati, Ohio, in 1979. They have two children: Kelly Marie, age three, and Joshua Todd, age one

year. They reside at Michigan City, Ind. at 2916 Elbridge Way, 46360. Jan is a Consulting Specialist with the Social Security Office in that city.

Ted Alan was born Aug. 10, 1955. He graduated from Fairview High School. In 1979 he entered U.S. Army. Served in Germany 1980 and 1981. Re-entered Army March 1982, and is stationed at Fort Hood Texas as Artillery Sergeant.

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Robert Earl Lewis was born June 7, 1918 in Dayton, Ohio. He attended Fort McKinley Elementary School, and graduated from Fairview High School. He was on the All-City High School Basketball Team in 1937, also on the High School Golf Team which won the Daily News City High School Golf League Championship two years in a row. He was with the Army Military Police Detachment stationed at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indianapolis, Indiana, when inducted into service in 1942. Also served overseas and returned in 1945 to be mustered out. He worked at Moraine Products as a Tool Maker, and as General Manager for R. C. Dice Plumbing, Inc., until his illness. After a five month illness, Robert died of cancer on Dec. 24, 1967.

Robert married Kathryn Mae Dice Oct. 19, 1940, and they have two children. Since Robert's death Kathryn has been working at Miami Valley Hospital in charge of all in-coming and out-going mail. She has been there for fifteen years, and is still working.

Children of Robert and Kathryn Lewis

James Robert was born June 27, 1942. Married Mary Katherine Deeter on June 27, 1964. James and Mary have two children: Pamela Susan, born Nov. 19, 1966, and Michael Scott, born Oct. 17, 1970.

Sandra Kay was born June 25, 1949. Married Ervin Roger Burnham on June 13, 1970. Sandra and Ervin have two children: Kevin Andrew, born June 5, 1973, and Valerie Michelle, born June 27, 1976.

Virginia Lewis was born Oct. 10, 1920. On Oct. 5, 1946 she married Robert W. Hicks, and they have two daughters. Robert is the Purchasing Agent for the V.I. Health Department, and St. Thomas Hospital. Virginia is the Sales Manager at Bluebeard's Castle in St. Thomas. Robert and Virginia reside at 14-8 Frenchman Bay Estates, St. Thomas U.S. Virgin Islands, P.O. Box 4515 (00801).

Children of Virginia & Robert Hicks

Wendy Louise was born Sept. 1, 1947. She married David Cislo, and they have two children; Robert, age 11, and Elizabeth, age 1½ yrs. David is comptroller for American Yacht Charters and Brokers. David and Wendy reside at P.O. Box 1914, St. Thomas U.S. Virgin Islands (00801).

Nancy Roberta was born Oct. 5, 1951. Nancy is a Flight Attendant for Eastern Airlines. She owns her own home at 6681 N.W. 24th Place, Sunrise, Florida (33313).

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Howard Eugene Lewis was born June 2, 1922. He married Ruth Evelyn Faber on Nov. 29, 1941. Howard met Ruth at her place of employment just before she graduated in 1940. He spent three years in the Air Force, and three years in Air National Guard. Howard now works at Brookville Air Park. Howard and Ruth were baptized as Jehovah's Witnesses on Jan. 20, 1952. Ruth became a full-time pioneer Jan. 1, 1959, and is still pioneering. Howard is an Elder, and serves in circuit as head of the Auditing Dept. They serve in the Vandalia Congregation. They have two children, and reside at 281 American Blvd., Vandalia, Ohio.

Children of Howard and Ruth Lewis

Bonnie Gene married Barry Bird in 1961. They have three children; Karen Kristine, born May 1, 1963, Sharon Suzanne, born Oct. 5, 1964, and Arthur David, born Mar. 5, 1967. Bonnie resides in Lewisville, Texas.

Howard David was born April 21, 1950. He married Deborah Mulholland June 17, 1972, and they have one daughter, Stacey Marie, born Oct. 5, 1973.

Richard D. Lewis was born Jan. 24, 1924 in Dayton, Ohio. He attended Fort McKinley grade school and Fairview High School, graduating in 1942. He married Dorothy Joanne Gray on Feb. 23, 1947. Dorothy was born Feb. 6, 1926. They were married in Bloomington, Indiana at the First Methodist Church.

Richard is now working for Auburn Plastics & Rubber in Indianapolis, Indiana as a salesman. Joanne works at a Drug Store in downtown Spencer. They look in on his mother, Georgia, each day at the Nursing Home near their home. Dick and Joanne reside at 177 N. East St., Spencer, Indiana (47460).

Children of Richard and Dorothy Lewis

Timothy P. was born April 27, 1949. He married Barbara M. Haas, and they have two children; Angela, born July 15, 1978, and James, born May 16, 1981.

Michael G. was born July 12, 1951. He married Connie S. Wallace, and they have one son, Aaron Michael Lewis, born March 24, 1978. The marriage was dissolved.

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Paul Edward Lewis was born Oct. 2, 1925 in Dayton, Ohio. Moved to Oak Park, Illinois in 1941 and attended Oak Park High School for two years. Then moved to Spencer, Indiana and attended Spencer High School. On Dec. 7, 1943 Paul left school and joined the Navy. He served in U.S. Navy until May of 1946 as a Diesel Specialist (MOMM2c). He was honorably discharged. He was involved in the conflicts at Saipan, Iwo Jima and Okinawa. He then returned to Spencer and received his High School diploma with the class of 1946. He moved to Dayton, Ohio and went to work at the National Cash Register Co. During this time he renewed an old friendship with Glorina Anderson whom he had met in the third grade of school at Ft. McKinley in Dayton. In 1948 he was transferred to Indianapolis by NCR, and was laid off due to the recession after two years in Indianapolis. He then went to work for Coca-Cola Bottling Co. as salesman.

On June 17, 1950 Paul married Glorina Anderson at Gethsemane Lutheran Church in Indianapolis. He bought, and moved into, a new home at 1945 N. Riley. They lived at this address for fifteen years. In the meantime he worked with Karpex Mfg. Co. for twelve years in supervision. Left Karpex in 1962 for Marion Rubber Co. as Sales Manager. Left Marion to go to Dunham Rubber Co. on a sales job. In 1967 Paul founded the Auburn Plastics & Rubber Co.

During all these years, Paul and Glorina raised six children and were always active in all school activities, including serving on the Indianapolis School Board for four years, and during that service was President of the School Board for one year. They reside at 1836 N. Emerson Ave., Indianapolis, Ind. (46218).

Children of Paul and Glorina Lewis

Cynthia Carol, born April 28, 1952. Cynthia married Warren Smith and they have no children. Cynthia graduated from Ball State, and has her Masters Degree from Indiana University. She is the Choral Director at John Marshall High School which has approximately 3,000 students. She is also the Director of Music at Bethany Lutheran Church in Indianapolis. Cynthia and Warren love music. Warren works at D. C. Heath. They reside at 1830 North Bolton Ave., Indianapolis, Indiana (46218).

Laurie Anne, born Jan. 4, 1954. Laurie married Danny Wood, and they have two children; Melissa, age four, and Danny, age three. Laurie attended I.U.P.U.I., and is employed at American Transair as the secretary to the head of maintenance. Danny works at Auburn Plastics & Rubber. They reside at 4444 Rockville Road, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Julie Ellen, born Nov. 19, 1956. Julie married Jeffery Stoner, who is an Architect. Julie graduated from Ball State and teaches Special Education at Lapel, Indiana. She has been there for four years. She is also the Track Coach for the girls team at Lapel. She works with very retarded, and slightly retarded high school youngsters.

David Paul, born Feb. 8, 1959. He graduated from Wabash College at Crawfordsville. He is presently in his second year of Law School at Indiana University in Bloomington. In 1984 he will work for Forbes, Kias & Pennamped, and also finish Law School. David and Deborah, (following) are twins.

Deborah Sue, born Feb. 8, 1959. Debbie graduated from Ball State University with a teaching degree and taught last year in the Virgin Islands at one of the native schools. She is now working at Auburn Plastics & Rubber in sales.

Beth Ann, born March 30, 1966. Beth is a Junior at Cathedral High School. Her interest is in music.

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HATTIE LOUISE LEWIS

Hattie Lewis was born Sept. 12, 1893 at 23 Blackfork St. in Shelby, Ohio.

In 1909 she married Orrin W. Parker. They had two sons, LeRoy Lewis Parker, and Delbert Orrin Parker. In 1915 Orrin Parker became very ill, and expired in 1916.

Hattie went to work, and for a few years during this time Hattie and her sons stayed with her parents, Fred and Mattie Lewis. It was at this time Hattie changed her name to Harriett.

In 1919 she took her two sons and moved to Ft. Wayne, Indiana, where she put them in the Reformed Church Orphan's Home, and obtained a job. While working in Ft. Wayne she met Mr. Ed Sipe, and married him. He was a salesman for a large Oil Co. They went to housekeeping in Lebanon, Indiana, taking her sons with them.

Ed Sipe died in 1927 and Harriett then moved to Dayton, Ohio. She obtained work in an exclusive dress shop in Dayton, and also did alteration work in her home.

Harriett had learned to repair, and restyle fur coats, and was an excellent seamstress. She would see a dress in a show window that appealed to her, sketch it, and go home and cut it

out and in a few days she would wear it to a dance. She was escorted to these dances by Mr. Carl Whitehead, whom she later married.

There were many family gatherings at the home of Carl and Harriett Whitehead on N. Williams St., in Dayton, and the food was excellent. Harriett was noted for her grape pies. She would can the grapes in the fall, which took hours of work.

She also was a very good piano player, and a member of the Eastern Stars and the Methodist Church in Dayton, Ohio.

Harriett died in March of 1945 at the age of 51, and is buried at Shelby, Ohio, beside her first husband, and father of her sons, Orrin Parker.

Children of Harriett and Orrin Parker

LeRoy Lewis Parker was born on Blackfork St. in Shelby, Ohio, on Jan. 20, 1910. He still remembers the 1913 flood. His grandpa, Fred Lewis, wading in a foot of water in the living room to answer the phone calls, and Mr. Ott Bergen swimming two work horses out of the barn to safety. That same year he remembers the house being moved to 5 Jennings Ct. They lived in it a few days while it was being moved, and slept in it in front of the theatre on Main St.

LeRoy went to school in Lebanon, Indiana, and worked on the Lebanon Daily Reporter as a printers devil. He learned the printing trade there from old time printers in job shop and newspapers. LeRoy also belonged to the National Guard.

He quit High School and came to Dayton, Ohio, and worked at Old Groneweg Printing Co. for six months. Went to Delco for next winter of 1927 and 1928. Then worked as foreman first, and later as General Manager of Pottle Printing Co. for 21 years. He then worked at Ohio Printing Co. for 23 years.

During his printing career LeRoy was President of Allied Printing Trades Council for 25 years. During this time, hosted around 6,000 printers in the seven unions. Retired in 1972.

LeRoy's hobbies are bowling and fishing. He has given up bowling since retirement, but still goes fishing some, but enjoys his workshop more. He does a lot of work with wood now. He resides at 2218 Cadie Ave., Dayton, Ohio (45414).

On Oct. 24, 1931 he married Edna L. Kaylor and they had two children; Larry L. Parker and Linda L. Parker. LeRoy's wife, Edna died in February of 1968.

Children of Leroy and Edna Parker

Larry L. Parker, born Mar. 21, 1936 in Dayton, Ohio. On Aug. 28, 1965 he married Linda Bruner, and they have two sons. Scott, born Mar. 31, 1971, and Glenn, born Aug. 23, 1975.

Linda L. Parker, born Feb. 5, 1938 in Dayton, Ohio. On Dec. 8, 1956 she married Ruston Pettit and they have two sons; Dirk, born Jan. 14, 1959, and Greg, born Dec. 10, 1960.

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Delbert Orrin Parker, born August 12, 1912, on Jeffery St. in Shelby, Ohio. His earliest recollection is living with Grandma and Grandpa Lewis, and then going to the Orphans Home. He went to school in Lebanon, Indiana, after his mother remarried, and had several paper routes. After his stepfather's death the family moved to Dayton, Ohio, where he attended Emerson Junior High School. Delbert started working at Delco Products Division in 1929, where he learned his trade as an Automatic Screw Machine Operator.

Delbert married Margaret Cordonnier on Sept. 10, 1938. Several years later they moved to Chicago, Ill., where he worked for his Uncle Herman at the Tropic Aire Company until he was inducted into the Army on Oct. 20, 1943.

Delbert was sent overseas Oct. 30, 1944, and served in the 983rd Army Engineer Maintenance Corp. in England, France, and Philippines. He returned home in April of 1946. After his return from service, Delbert went to work for NCR Corporation, where he worked until he retired in 1974, as Job Layout for Automatic Screw Dept.

His hobbies are refinishing furniture and caning chairs. Margie and Delbert are very active in Square Dancing, and belong to Silver Squares in Miamisburg, Ohio, and Washington Squares in Kettering, Ohio.

On June 6, 1948 their daughter, Karen Susan was born.

Daughter of Delbert and Margaret Parker

Karen Susan Parker married David Chaney Royse, and they have two children. Heather Ann, born Aug. 12, 1970, and Sean, born Aug. 13, 1974.

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LYDIA MAE LEWIS

Lydia Mae Lewis, born June 26, 1895 in Shelby, Ohio. She had a son, Charles Herman Lewis, born Feb. 19, 1917.

In 1922 Lydia married Ray Crist of Shelby, Ohio. Ray was born Aug. 7, 1894, and was raised at 26 Park Ave., in Shelby. This is also where Lydia and Ray lived. Ray died on Jan. 18, 1967. They had three children; Harriett Jean, Danny and Ray Jr. Lydia died on Jan. 4, 1969. Ray and Lydia are both buried at the Presbyterian Cemetery in Nashville, Ohio, in an old Crist family lot.

FAMILY

Lydia's first son, Charles Herman, was born at 5 Jennings Ct. in Shelby, Ohio. He was raised by his grandparents, Fred and Mattie Lewis at 98 Blanch St. in Mansfield, Ohio. After finishing his schooling he married Lucille Martin in Mansfield. They had four children; Phillip, Ronald, Patricia, and Jimmy. Their marriage was dissolved, and Charles now lives in Texas.

Children of Charles and Lucille Lewis

Phillip Richard Lewis, born Oct. 23, 1936 in Columbus, Ohio. He married Frances Ilene Stertzer of Columbus. They have three children.

Jill Ann, born Apr. 5, 1969 (Stillborn)
Jeffery Phillip, born June 30, 1970
Timothy Richard, born Apr. 24, 1972

Phillip and Frances reside at 279 Winding Trail, Xenia, Ohio (45385). They were married Jan. 25, 1958.

Phillip does race walking (not jogging or running). He has been in three, 100 mile (ea.) races which had to be completed in 24 hrs. These were held in Columbus, Missouri. The first year he completed 67 miles, but had to stop due to blisters. The second year he completed 93 miles before time ran out. The third year he completed 62 miles before he was forced to quit because he got sick. He walks 20 to 30 miles each week and walks 50 to 60 miles a week when in training. There are only 29 people who have completed the 100 mile race. Phillip hopes to be one of those added to the list.

Ronald Lee Lewis, born Mar. 18, 1943. He was married in 1962. Marriage was dissolved. There were two children born.

Phillip Anthony, born June 1, 1963
Sherri Renee, born Aug. 1, 1964

On July 7, 1967 he married Patricia Lynn Crum. They have three children, and reside in Columbus, Ohio (43227).

Melinda Sue, born Feb. 21, 1971
Memphra Elizabeth, born Aug. 17, 1973
Miranda Kay, born Jan. 13, 1975

Patricia Ann Lewis was born Mar. 31, 1945. She married Paul Edward Kovinchick. They have four children, and reside in Mansfield, Ohio (44905).

Paul Edward Jr., born Aug. 29, 1963
Catherine Ann, born July 19, 1966
James Frederick, born Jan. 11, 1969
Christina Jean, born Feb. 5, 1974

James Frederick Lewis was born April 15, 1949. He married Verna Tussey. Served in Vietnam (Marines) and was killed June 4, 1968 near Quang Tri, Republic of Vietnam, as a result of shrapnel wounds to the head and body from a hostile explosive device.

Children of Ray and Lydia Crist

Harriett Jean Crist, born Sept. 18, 1924, at 26 Park Ave., Shelby, Ohio. She married Harrison Hill of Mansfield, Ohio and they had three children. Linda Sue, Daniel Allen, and Debra Ann. Their marriage was dissolved in 1955.

Linda Sue Hill was born Oct. 29, 1948. She married Mel Creps on Nov. 30, 1968. They have two children, and reside at 162 Sunset Dr., Plano, Texas.

Rhonda Lynn, born July 22, 1969
Trudi Heather, born Jan. 19, 1972

Daniel Allen Hill, born Dec. 14, 1951. He married Deirde Heather Sanborn on Dec. 3, 1971. They had two children, and were divorced in 1977. Daniel resides in Mansfield, Ohio.

Darby Michelle, born July 13, 1972
Devin Keith, born March 7, 1976

Debra Ann Hill, born Nov. 29, 1954. She married Frank P. Lucanegro on Aug. 20, 1972. They reside at 417 Beryl, Mansfield, Ohio, and have four children.

Angella Lynn, born Mar. 20, 1973

Triplets

Anthony, Teresa, and Tracy, born Jan. 24, 1977

After Harriett Jean's marriage to Harrison Hill ended, she had two other marriages, and two more sons.

Frank David Medley, born Aug. 9, 1957
Jeffery James Hanson, born April 1, 1962

Frank David Medley married Beth Marie Frontz. They reside at 218 Cliffbrook, Mansfield, Ohio. They have a daughter, Michelle Leigh, born June 4, 1980.

Harriett Jean died Dec. 18, 1981 from a blood clot, and is buried in Colonial Memorial Gardens at Lexington, Ohio.

Danny Crist, born May 9, 1922 in Shelby, Ohio. After Danny graduated from high school he joined the Army. He was killed in action in Europe on Aug. 28, 1944. His body was shipped home, and he is buried in the old Crist family lot at Nashville, Ohio. A Purple Heart was given to his mother, Lydia Crist.

Ray Crist Jr., born in 1933 in Shelby, Ohio and died in 1937. He is also buried at Nashville, Ohio.

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FLOY MARGUERITE LEWIS

Floy, born April 26, 1897 in Shelby, Ohio, at 23 Blackfork St. When she was hardly old enough to reach the piano keys, she started playing the piano. She developed her ability to play without any lessons.

She attended school at the Central School in Shelby, Ohio.

She played the piano at the 5¢ Picture Show when they had the silent movies, back in the Charlie Chaplin days, and she was a good one at setting the proper music for the run-a-way trains, villains, love scenes or floods.

Floy kept her hands busy with crocheting, tatting and embroidering work. Played the old pump organ on Sunday in the German Reformed Church in Shelby, Ohio.

When the war broke out in 1914, she left Shelby and moved to Dayton, Ohio to work in the Delco Products Factory for the war effort.

She met, and married Bert Lee Neff in Dayton, Ohio, and went to housekeeping in Chillicothe, Ohio. He worked for a bottling Company there. Two children were born; Bert Lee and William (deceased). Then they moved to Pence Springs, W. Virginia where he bottled Spring Water to be shipped to Health Resorts. Their third child was born in 1922 and named James Lewis Neff.

They then moved to New York City, New York where Jean Harriet Neff was born in 1924.

Bert Lee Neff, Sr., died in 1947, and Floy Marguerite died in 1953.

Children of Floy and Bert Lee Neff Sr.

Bert Lee Neff Jr., born March 19, 1918 in Chillicothe, Ohio. He attended New York City public schools, and 2½ years at Columbia College from 1934 to 1937.

He was hired by Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. on Nov. 6, 1939 as clerk in actuarial department. Drafted into US Army in July 1942, transferred to Air Force Dec. 1942, and trained as Fighter Controller and went to the South Pacific. He was awarded four battle stars, and discharged Mar. 1946 as Captain. He returned to Metropolitan June of 1946.

On Aug. 7, 1946 Bert married Irene Elizabeth Lange of Detroit. Irene has a BA degree from Wayne State University, Detroit. Bert and Irene have six children.

In 1953 Bert transferred to a newly formed Electronics Dept. of Metropolitan and retired from that department in June, 1981, as Vice-President. Very active in electronic computer software work. He has addressed various electronics meetings, including British Computer Society and Australian Computer Society.

In 1959 Bert was awarded the highest suggestion prize in history of the company, for a formula for calculating federal income taxes for life insurance companies.

Holds expert rating at over-the-board chess. Held international master rating in correspondence chess in 1970's. Games published in New York Times, some British and German chess publications. Soloed in light plane Jan. 13, 1973, and holds pilot license.

Bert and Irene Neff reside at 250 Little Neck Road, Centerport, New York (11721).

Children of Bert Lee Jr. and Irene Neff

Carol Joyce Neff, born May 30, 1947. She has a BA degree from American University, Washington, D.C. For a time she was assistant editor of the Jewish Monthly, a publication of the B'nai Brith organization.

Douglas Lee Neff, born Sept. 11, 1948. He has a BA degree from Columbia University, MD degree from New York Medical College. He is a specialist in Oncology and Hematology, Richland, Washington.

Thomas Lewis Neff, born Nov. 15, 1950. He has 2½ years at Syracuse University.

June Neff, born Feb. 1, 1953. She has BS degree from Cornell University, MA degree from UCLA in public health. Now in Niamey, Niger, West Africa with husband and son.

Judith Ann Neff, born Sept. 7, 1954. Has BA degree from University of Rochester, N.Y. She is Systems Analyst with Bristol-Myers Corp., New York City.

Deborah Jean Neff, born Aug. 31, 1956. High school valedictorian. BA degree Wellesley College, Mass., Phi Beta Kappa. Now 3rd year student at Columbia Law School, member of Law Review.

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James Lewis Neff, born Sept. 9, 1922 in Pence Springs, West Virginia. On Oct. 7, 1943 he married Mary Riga Josefa McCarthy. She was born Jan. 6, 1925 in New York City, New York. Marriage was dissolved.

James and Mary Neff have four children, and reside in New York City, N.Y.

Children of James and Mary Neff

James Patrick Neff, born June 11, 1945 in New York City, N.Y. Married Jai Kyung Song of Pyongchang, Kangwondo Prov., South Korea. They have three children: Kim Marie born Jan. 8, 1970 in Seoul, South Korea; Terri Lee, born May 20, 1971 in Teaneck, New Jersey; and Timothy Patrick, born May 27, 1974 in Teaneck, New Jersey.

John Joseph Neff, born Nov. 16, 1948 in New York City, New York. He married Mary Kathleen McBrearty of St. John's Point, Ireland on Oct. 19, 1970 in Cadiz, Spain. They have three children, Tara Jean, born Sept. 1, 1971 in Cadiz, Spain; Mariah Ann, born Dec. 9, 1975 in New York City, N.Y.; and Matthew Terrence, born Jan. 31, 1980 in Brewster, N.Y.

Richard Bryan, born July 5, 1955 in New York City, N.Y.

Diane Marie, born June 23, 1957 in New York City, N.Y.

Jean Harriet Neff, born Sept. 12, 1924 in New York City, N.Y. Jean graduated from Central Commercial High School in January of 1943. She remembers her mother, Floy, playing the piano all the time and working hard to keep her family together. Also on Sunday, riding the double-decker buses down Fifth Avenue to the Battery. Also, her visits back to Dayton, Mansfield and Shelby in the summer, where she would stay with her Aunts, Uncles and Grandparents.

Jean went to school with her first husband, Rene Stievenart. They were married in Aug. 1943. He was in the service and being shipped to California, and Jean was allowed to go with him. They lived in Riverside for over a year. Rene was shipped to the South Pacific one week before their daughter Camille was born. When Jean was able to travel, she came back to New York City. Rene got a leave in Oct. 1944 and got to see his daughter, Camille, for the first time. He was a Captain in the Paratroopers at the time he was killed on Corregidor Island on Feb. 26, 1945.

Jean met Rene's best friend, Vincent Ruddy, and after correspondence to Bremerton, Washington, (he was in the Navy), she flew with her daughter, Camille, to Washington and married Vincent on Jan. 28, 1946. They had 10 children, five boys and five girls. One of the girls, Roberta, died after birth. They raised all of the children in Dayton, Ohio, after Vincent got out of the service in 1947. Vincent died in 1978, and at the present time Jean is living with, and keeping house for her cousin, LeRoy Parker, at 2218 Cadie Ave., Dayton, Ohio (45414).

Jean enjoys fishing, crochet, crewel, etc. She also goes to Craft Shows every year with her cousin Roy Parker, and they sell what they have made all year long. They would like to see you at the biggest Craft show in Ohio. It is held every year in Miamisburg, Ohio, the middle of September, and called "The Starving Artists."

Children of Jean and Vincent Ruddy

Camille Virginia Ruddy, born June 8, 1944 in Riverside, California. She married Marion T. Baker Feb. 18, 1963, and they have four children: Marjorie, born Feb. 23, 1964 in Germany; Patricia, born July 1, 1965 in Dayton, Ohio; Edward, born Dec. 20, 1966 in Dayton, Ohio; and Matthew, born May 21, 1968.

Jean Anna Ruddy, born Oct. 23, 1947 in Dayton, Ohio. She married Ronald Lee Randolph on Sept. 11, 1965, and they have three children. Ronald died July 6, 1973. The children are: Robert Lee, born Dec. 8, 1965; Rhonda Sue, born Oct. 18, 1966; and Frank Raymond, born Jan. 17, 1969. All of the children were born in Dayton, Ohio.

Kathleen Marguerite Ruddy, born Oct. 27, 1948 in Dayton, Ohio. She married Harry Thurman Sams on Dec. 16, 1967. They have two children, and are now divorced. Tod Allen, born Nov. 4, 1969 in Dayton, Ohio; Corey Allen, born Feb. 5, 1978 in Dayton, Ohio. On Aug. 27, 1982, Kathleen married Larry Lawson. That marriage is now dissolved.

Vincent William Ruddy, born Apr. 16, 1950 in Dayton, Ohio. On Mar. 29, 1969 he married Debora Marie Reuber, and they have one daughter, Michelle, born Sept. 25, 1971. They are now divorced.

Peter David Ruddy, born Jan. 24, 1953 in Dayton, Ohio. He married Susan Carmichael, and they have a son, Jason Carl, born May 24, 1973 in Biloxi, Mississippi. They were divorced, and on Sept. 20, 1980 he married Molly Anne O'Brien. Peter changed his name to Radar Ruddy.

Anna Loretta Ruddy, born Jan. 22, 1954 in Dayton, Ohio. She married Jack Dale Rayburn on Jan. 17, 1978. They have two children, Jacqueline Anne, born Oct. 1, 1979 in Dayton, Ohio, and Amber Rene, born Nov. 2, 1981 in Jacksonville, North Carolina.

William Joseph Ruddy, born Mar. 23, 1955 in Dayton, Ohio. On July 21, 1979 he married Carmella Ann Compaleo. They have two children: Nicole Lynn, born Mar. 4, 1980 in Dayton, Ohio; and William Joseph, born Apr. 23, 1982, in Dayton, Ohio.

Robert Lee Ruddy, born Dec. 22, 1957 in Dayton, Ohio. On Oct. 16, 1978 he married Kimerly Bucholz. They have a daughter, Sara Lee, born May 24, 1980. This marriage is now dissolved.

James Linus Ruddy, born Oct. 24, 1959 in Dayton, Ohio.

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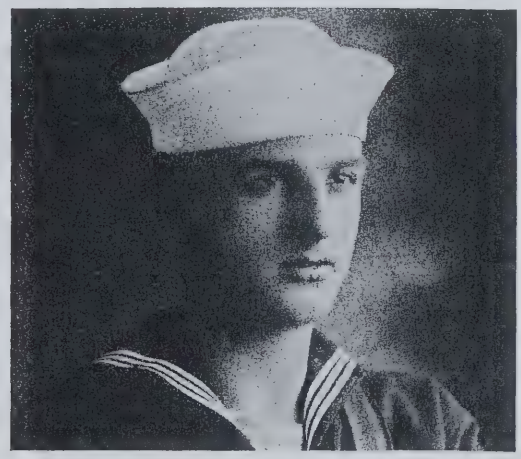

DONALD FREDRICK LEWIS

Donald Fredrick Lewis, born June 30, 1901 at 28 Blackfork St., Shelby, Ohio. He attended school at Central School in Shelby, and when he was old enough he enlisted in the Navy. He took his training at Great Lakes Training Center. When he returned home he worked for his father, Fred, in the moving business. On Oct. 11, 1919 he married Launa Ann McCresky Buroker. Launa was born Dec. 3, 1898. They had a son, Donald Herman Lewis, born Dec. 13, 1920. The marriage was dissolved, and Don and his son went to live with Fred and Mattie Lewis in 1924, at 98 Blanch St., in Mansfield, Ohio. Donald attended school and Don worked with his father moving barns and houses. Don met Mildred Harding who lived on a farm near Mt. Giliad, Ohio. After a seven year courtship they were married on Aug. 5, 1935. Mildred was born Dec. 25, 1908. They lived on a farm near Lexington, Ohio, and in 1946 they bought a farm in Franklin Township on R.R. 119. Don and Mildred had five children. Don died in 1958.

Son of Don Fredrick and Launa Lewis

Donald Herman Lewis, born Dec. 13, 1920. He married Bonnie Jane Morris on June 23, 1946. Bonnie was born Oct. 30, 1922. Don and Bonnie have four children. All are very musical. Ed and Freda are soloists, and sing for Weddings. Three of their children play Trombone, and Bonnie arranges the music to enable them to play all horns together. Don and Bonnie reside at 287 US RT. 42R1, Polk, Ohio (44866).

Children of Donald (Herman) and Bonnie Lewis

Donald Allan, Oct. 19, 1947. Donald Allan married Cynthia Lou Wismer on Aug. 7, 1971. They have four children: Donald Jeffery, born Aug. 2, 1973; Jennifer Ann, born June 10, 1977; Anita Marie, born June 29, 1979; and Kevin Andrew, born Nov. 10, 1980.

Christie Jane, June 7, 1950. Christie married Bernard Russell Casper Aug. 18, 1974. Christie and her husband are both Art Teachers. Bernard is a soloist, and he and Christie sing duets. He is also a Lay Minister, and a very good speaker. They have one child, Cameron Russell, born May 15, 1977.

Edward Dean, born March 1, 1956. Edward married Sarah Marie Dickerson Oct. 25, 1980. Ed is a foreman in a machine shop and his wife is a bookkeeper.

Freda May, born Dec. 25, 1959. Freda is in College at this time with more than four years completed.

Children of Don Fredrick and Mildred Lewis

Luella May, born Jan. 1, 1937. Luella married Herbert Limings, and they reside in Mt. Vernon, Ohio. They have a daughter, Debra, born Jan. 2, 1954.

Russell Clayton, born Dec. 11, 1937. Russell married Darlene Hendricks in 1957. They reside in Mt. Giliad, Ohio, and have nine children.

Russell Clayton, Jr., born May 27, 1957
Jo Arlene, born Sept. 6, 1958
Candice Charlene, born Nov. 8, 1959
Rick Allen, born Oct. 16, 1960
Rocky Frederick, born May 6, 1962
Jacqueline Renee, born Aug. 25, 1963
Cary Thomas Lee, born June 19, 1965
Grace Marie, born Nov. 26, 1966
Karolyn Kay, born June 9, 1970

Marie Marlene married James Alfrey and they have two children: Anita Marie, born Dec. 15, 1959; and Bryan Kip, born Aug. 6, 1962. The marriage was dissolved, and Marie resides at 1840 Crider Rd., Mansfield, Ohio with her daughter, Anita. Kip is living with his father.

Rodger Duane, born Jan. 26, 1948. Rodger died June 12, 1961 in a swimming accident.

Monica Lucille, born March 5, 1951. Monica has one son, Shaun Patrick, born May 23, 1979. Monica and her son live at home with Mildred on RR 119.

Mildred Lewis with Russell and Monica (back row). Luella and Marie (front row)

MAMIE KATHLEEN LEWIS

Mamie, born on Dec. 27, 1903 at 28 Blackfork St. in Shelby, Ohio. She attended Central School, except for the fourth grade when she attended Hayes School in the west end of Shelby. While in this class she was called upon to play a march on the old pump organ for the children to march out of class. When she became a teenager she did babysitting and was given a few years of piano lessons. She was in a sewing class at school, and received good grades from this teacher. Her mother and three older sisters all sewed, and this kept the White sewing machine at home very busy.

When Mamie was twenty years old she went to New York City to be with her sister Floy. While there she took a course at a Beauty School on Fifth Avenue.

On returning to Mansfield she found her father had bought a new Willies Knight automobile. He had paid $750.00 cash for the car and it was the showpiece of the family. Dad permitted Darrell and Mamie to drive it to the Saturday night dances. At these dances the girls stood back and waited for the young men to invite them to dance. At one of these dances Mamie met a tall, dark and handsome young man by the name of George Raymond Terrell. He could dance like prince charming. A courtship developed and they were married on Dec. 24, 1925. They had two children; Gordon Richard Terrell, and Myrna Jean Terrell. In 1929 the marriage ended and Mamie moved her family to Dayton, Ohio.

In 1942 someone knocked on Mamie's door and presented her with some bible literature. On investigating this material she started studying the bible and attending meetings with Jehovah's Witnesses. She learned many new and wonderful things about Jehovah's purposes for this earth and mankind. She was baptized at Buffalo, New York in 1944.

In 1946 she married one of the Elders in the Congregation, Forest Earl Grammer. In 1947 they built a new home at 1914 Kipling Dr. in Dayton, Ohio. They had a very happy and loving life together until he expired on Oct. 29, 1972.

Mamie cared for her mother in her home for ten years. Mattie attended lectures and meetings with the family. She also did quilting and spent many hours at the piano.

One of the joys of Mamie's life have been her four grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren. Mamie's great-grandchildren are pictured below sitting in a little rocking chair given to her by her father and mother when she was about four years old.

Children of Mamie and George Raymond Terrell

Gordon Richard Terrell was born on Sept. 27, 1926 in Cleveland, Ohio. He attended several schools in Dayton, Ohio, and graduated from Fairview High School in 1945. He worked at the Ohio Printing Co. for 31 years as General Manager. In 1976 he formed his own printing company, The Terrell Printing Co. at 4325 N. Webster St., in Dayton, Ohio.

On June 18, 1949 he married Florence Marie Desch and they had two children; Elaine Joyce Terrell and Duane Gordon Terrell. They reside at 2708 Lindale Dr., Dayton, Ohio (45414).

Children of Gordon and Florence Terrell

Elaine Joyce Terrell, born on April 28, 1952. She graduated from Fairview High School and did secretarial work in the Dayton area. On Aug. 28, 1976 she married Lawrence Tamm. Larry Tamm graduated from Michigan Technology University in 1971, and is Terminal Manager of the Interstate Systems in Dayton.

They are the proud parents of twins, born Oct. 28, 1980. A boy and a girl, Joseph Michael and Kelly Jean Tamm. Elaine is a member of the Mother's Of Twins Club. Larry is a member of the Miami Valley Traffic Club and Delta Nu Alpha Fraternity. They reside at 7630 Shepherdess Dr., Huber Heights, Ohio (45424).

Duane Gordon Terrell, born Oct. 2, 1954. He graduated from Fairview High School. He worked at the Ohio Printing Co., but left to join his father's company as a pressman.

He married Doris Stone in 1978 and they had one daughter, Kina Luree Terrell, born Dec. 30, 1979. The marriage was dissolved.

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Myrna Jean Terrell, born Nov. 10, 1928 in Mansfield, Ohio. When the family moved to Dayton, she attended Longfellow Grade School. She graduated from Fairview High School in 1946.

In 1950 she married Halleck (Hal) F. Poock, and they had two sons; Steven E., and Scott F. Poock. Their marriage ended in 1960.

Myrna has been with Davue Tool & Die, Inc. since January of 1966 as Office Manager.

On Nov. 7, 1975 she married Daniel M. Haskins of Middletown, Ohio. Daniel is retired from Dayton Press, formally McCall Printing Co. They reside at 6361 Hamilton-Middletown Road, Middletown, Ohio (45042).

Children of Myrna and Hal Poock

Steven E. Poock, born March 8, 1951. He graduated from Fairview High School. He is now a Plumbing Contractor, and owner of the Poock Plumbing Co. in Dayton, Ohio.

He started playing ice hockey at age ten, and has won many awards. Steve is now skating with the Megacity Hockey Club of which he is President. He also is a downhill skier.

On Aug. 28, 1982 he married Stephanie Lynn Stamas. She graduated from Meadowdale High School in 1974, and Sinclair Community College in 1980 with a degree in Business Administration. She worked as a technical writing consultant in Copenhagen, Denmark for eight months. In 1982 she formed The Write Perspective, a technical writing and technical manual production service. She is also fluent in German, and her lifelong hobby has been ballet dancing.

Steve and Stephanie Poock reside at 315 Sandhurst Dr., Dayton, Ohio (45405).

Scott F. Poock, born April 14, 1952. He graduated from Fairview High School. He has been with Ohio Bell Telephone Co. since graduation.

Scott is a member and past president of the Hecklers Club. This is a public speaking club with competition statewide. In 1981 and 1982 he won the state public speaking championship.

He studied Guitar, and plays with various groups in the Dayton area. He also plays ice hockey, and is a downhill skier.

In 1971 he married Gloria Jones and they had a son, Collin Andrew Poock born May 21, 1972. Their marriage was dissolved. Scott lives at 3864 Carroll Ave., Dayton, Ohio (45405).

DARRELL EMERY LEWIS

Darrell Emery Lewis, born July 24, 1909. He married Mary A. Kurfus on Sept. 10, 1940. Darrell and Mary Lewis had two children. Sherry Darlene and Rickey. Their marriage was dissolved in 1956.

Darrell had a well cultivated voice, and sang for many years in Church Choirs. He also sang at many weddings, and solos at Easter and Christmas.

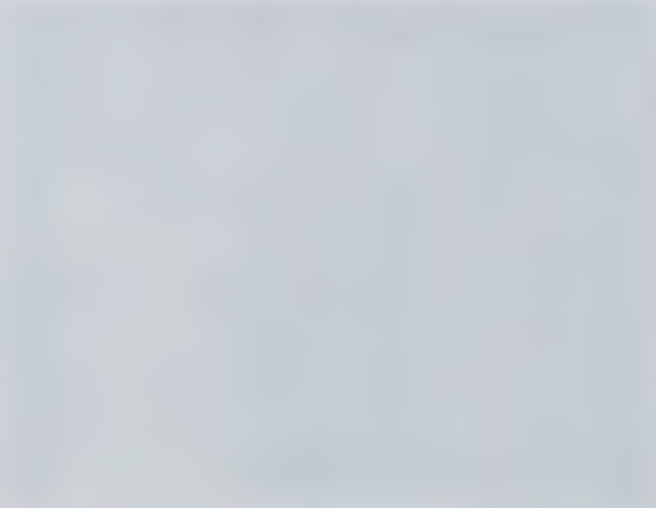
In 1928 Darrell came to Dayton, Ohio from Mansfield, Ohio. He traveled in a 1925 Model T Ford. He went to work in a garage as a mechanic. In 1935 he was hired to work for Rodgers Pontiac Co., and worked there until 1971. He then went to Rubicon Cadillac for two years. When he retired on March 1, 1975 he was working at Davue Tool & Die, Inc. Darrell died on June 26, 1983, and is buried at Willow View Cemetery in Dayton, Ohio.

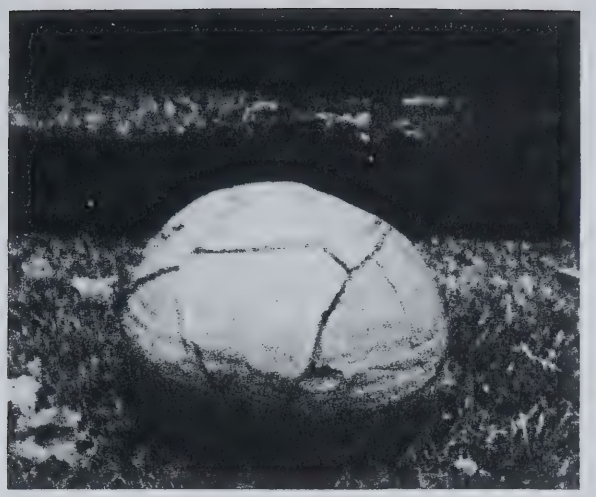
Children of Darrell and Mary Lewis

Sherry Darlene Lewis, born July 25, 1941. She lives at So. 70-L Beans, Franklin, Ohio (45005).

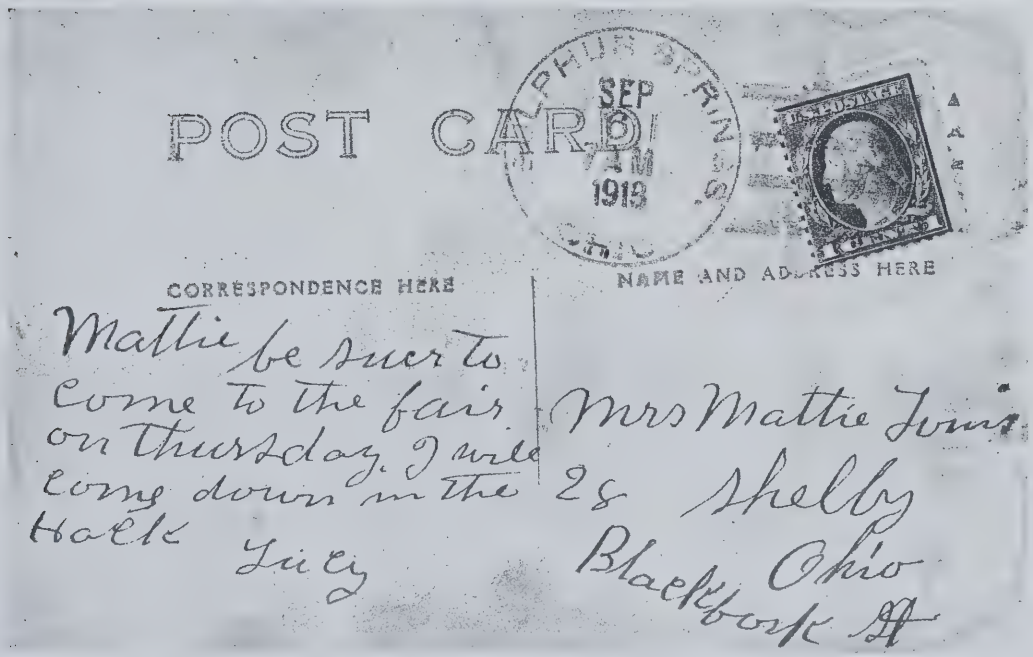
Rickey H. Lewis, born Mar. 23, 1944. He married Bonnie Maddox on Nov. 5, 1962. They have one son, Timothy Wayne, born Aug. 13, 1967. They reside at 6113 Rivercliff Lane, Dayton, Ohio (45449).

Darrell with sisters Mamie and Lydia, 1968



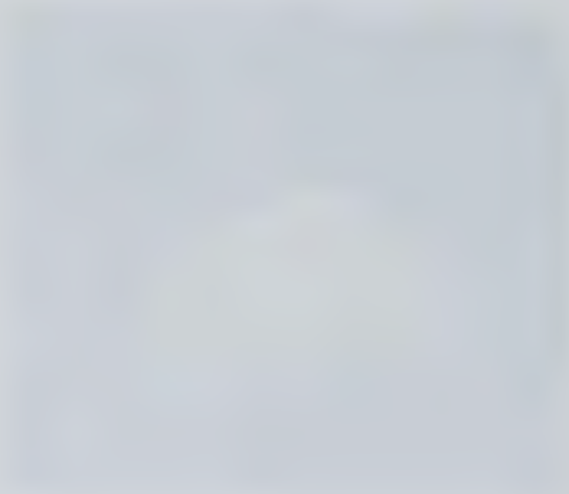


This stone is a family landmark. Fred Lewis, while living in Shelby, Ohio, pulled this stone out of the Blackfork Creek in the late 1800's with the help of a team of horses. Many members of the family remember this stone, as a landmark at 28 Blackfork St., 5 Jennings Court, and 98 Blanch St., in Mansfield, Ohio. At the present time it is at the home of Rickey Lewis, son of Darrell Lewis, at 6113 Rivercliff Lane, Dayton, Ohio.



This Postcard, posted in 1913 was mailed by Lucy Harmon Rader from Sulphur Springs, Ohio, to Mattie Harmon Lewis at 28 Blackfork St., Shelby, Ohio.

Postage Stamp in 1913—1¢
Postage Stamp in 1983—14¢



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